

5 the magnetic gap in corporate to one of the end portions opposite  
to the other end portion of the magnetic core.

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9. (Amended) An inductance component according to claim 1,  
wherein one of the pair of opposed end portions forming the gap  
of the magnetic core has a protrusion protruding toward the other  
10 of the pair of opposed end portions.

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14. (Amended) An inductance component according to  
claim 13, wherein said at least one of the permanent magnets are  
shaped like a plane or a general plane which is magnetized such  
that each of entire surfaces thereof opposite to each other has a  
5 different magnetic polarity.

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